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No. 245.] TUESDAY, OCTOBER 28, 1794. [V

PUBLIC VENDUE.

On SATURDAY next,
At X o'Clock,
WILL BE SOLD, AT THE *VENDUE-STORE*,
OPPOSITE COL. HOOE's,
A GENERAL ASSORTMENT OF
WET and DRY GOODS.
PHILIP G. MARSTELLER, V. M.
Alexandria October 28. 1794.

The Members of the Charitable Relief Society of Alexandria are desired to attend their stated Quarterly Meeting at the Council Chamber, in Alexandria, on the 1st day of November, at 6 o'clock P. M. in order to elect a President, Vice President, Treasurer, Secretary, and a Distributing Committee, who are to continue in office until the annual election, to be held on the first day of May next.—In the mean time the Benevolent who wish to espouse the cause of humanity, may have an opportunity of adding their names, by applying to Mr. Alexander Smith, or Mr. John Longdon, with whom the constitution and a list of the subscribing members are left.

WM. SUMMERS, Secry pro. tem.
Alexandria, October 25, 1794.

The subscriber, wishing to decline the Public Business, will rent or sell his TAVERN, in the City of Washington, known by the name of the *Little Hotel*, together with one of the completest Billiard-Tables in the state. The house is commodious, with the necessary out-houses, viz. kitchen, store-room, fowl-house, chair-house, and stabling for 25 horses. It is well known to be one of the most eligible stands for business in this state. The premises may be viewed at any time, and possession given as soon as the terms are agreed upon.

W'm COGHLAN.
City of Washington October 23 1794.

For Sale by the Pipe,
A quantity of excellent Cogniac BRANDY, and a few Bales of GERMAN and BRITISH LINEN, at the Store of Mr. William Hodgson.

WILLIAM HALL.
Alexandria, Oct. 2, 1794.

The subscribers most respectfully inform their friends and the public that they have established a LUMBER-YARD, near the Presbyterian Church, where they intend to keep a large and constant supply of all kinds of Lumber, suitable for House-Carpenters, Ship and Ship Joiners, at a very moderate advance, and hope, from their unremitting attention to the business, to merit the public patronage.

HARPER & DAVIS.
October 20. 1794.

Double Gloucester Cheese
Just received per brig Mary from London,
And for Sale by
R. Hamilton,
Who has also on hand,
Pork of a very superior quality
Havannah Molasses in Hhds.
Loaf and Lump sugar in Bbls.
Window Glass 8 by 10 inboxes
and a parcel of New England Pine Plank.
Alexandria, Oct. 18th, 1794.

Alexandria Races.

BY a resolve of the Members of the Alexandria Jockey Club, the Races are postponed until the second Wednesday in November. The first day's purse *Fifty Guineas*; the second *Twenty five*.

Per Order,
J. SAUL, Sec'ry.

Oct. 20, 1794.

N. B. It is particularly requested that all the members who have not paid their subscriptions, will immediately pay it into the hands of Mr. Jesse Simms, Treasurer.

FOR SALE,
On board the schooner Concord, at Hamilton's wharf,
James River Coal
of the best quality, at eighteen pence per bushel, if taken away immediately. Apply to the captain on board, or
JOHN GILL and CO.
Alexandria, Oct. 10, 1794.

FOR SALE
Two Shares in the Potomack Company, on which all the requisitions are paid up to the end of the last year. Enquire of the Printer.
Oct. 6. 1794.

FALL GOODS.

John Fitzgerald
Has received and now open for Sale,
an assortment of
Fall and Winter Goods, at his Warehouse, on Queen-Street, and is in daily expectation of a further supply.
Alexandria, October 24.

Just Imported,
In the Brig Mary, from London, an assortment of
DRY GOODS,
amongst which are
Irish & other Linens
Muslins
Callicoes
Purple printed Furniture
Manchestry
Cotton checks
Striped cottons &c. &
Also on hand a handsome assortment of
Jewellery & Carpeting
of different widths, and a great variety of Patterns &c.
for sale at our store in Prince Street on low terms for cash by wholesale only.

RICHARD VEITCH & Co.
Alexandria, October 28, 1794.

MURRAYS and WHEATON
Have for Sale
15000 Bushels coarse and fine Salt
30 Hhds. 3d and 2d proof Antigua Rum
11 Hhds. brown Sugar
60 Barrels Pork
20 Do. Beef
2000 lbs. Black Pepper
2600 lbs. Bacon
3 Pipes 3d proof Brandy
12 Boxes brown Soap
6 Chests Hyson Tea.
Alexandria, 1794.

IMPORTED
From Barbados, in the Schooner Partagon, Captain Eveleth,
SUGAR
In hhds. tierces, half-tierces and barrels, and
RUM,
For Sale by
William Hartshorne & Co.
Alexandria, Aug. 25, 1794.

OLD PORT WINE,
Of an excellent quality, in bottles and quarter-casks;
ALSO,
SUPERIOR LISBON,
FOR SALE, BY
A. MORHOUSE & CO.

BOTTLED BEER,
Of strength and quality superior to English Porter, for sale by R. HENDERSON, at the Brew-House of Messrs. A. MORHOUSE and CO. Alexandria
N. B. An allowance to Tavern keepers and others who take a quantity.
Alexandria, August 26. 1794. t. f

For Sale on a Credit,
THE HOUSE & LOT, on King Street, now occupied by Dr. Gillies. The lot is very extensive, having a front of 31 feet, and running backwards 176 feet. To this lot is attached another, having a stable thereon, fronting 20 feet on Pitt-Street, by 100 feet deep, which intersects the above, and makes the whole very convenient.

Also a Lot of Ground, on King-Street (unimproved) opposite to Mr. Meade's, 50 feet front by 82 feet deep.

The situation of these lots for business is inferior to none. Any further description is deemed unnecessary.—Apply to W'm HODGSON.
Alexandria, Oct. 21, 1794.

Lots in the Town of Leesburg.
Will positively be sold, on Monday the 10th November next, being court day, on the premises, in Leesburg,
Several Lots of Ground, in said Town, conveyed to me in trust, to satisfy a debt due by Mr. Patrick Cavan to Robinson, Sanderson and Kinney.—Terms of sale will be made known.

LEVEN POWELL.
Loudoun, Oct. 10, 1794.

For Sale or Charter,
THE NEW SHIP

MARY,
PELEG L. HILLMAN, Master.
Also for sale on board said Ship,
354 Hhds. of Lime,
25,000 feet of Scantling and Plank and sundry other articles.
For terms apply to said Master or
WILLIAM WILSON & CO.
Alexandria, Oct. 18, 1794.

For Sale or Charter,
The American Ship

JOHN,
DANIEL JENNINGS, Commander;
Burthen about 550 hogsheads of Tobacco, now lying at George-Town—She is well equipped and in complete order for the reception of a cargo. For terms apply to MASON and FENWICK.
George Town, Oct. 13. 1794.

JOSEPH RIDDLE & CO.
HAVE imported in Brig Mary, Capt. D. Bennett from London, a variety of Goods, which they offer for sale at their Store on Fairfax Street by the package, piece or smaller quantity. They daily expect a handsome assortment of woolens and other goods from Liverpool.
Alexandria Oct. 18 1794.

THE RED-HOUSE RACES,
Prince William County, State of Virginia.
WILL be run for, over a good course, on Thursday the 30th instant, a purse of *Thirty Guineas*, free for any horse, mare or gelding, carrying weight agreeable to the rules of the Bowling-Green Jockey Club, *four mile heats*.—And on Friday, a purse of *Fifteen Guineas—two mile heats*.—And on Saturday, a considerable Sweep Stake—the winning horse each preceding day excepted. The horses that are to run the two first days must be entered the day before each race, or to pay double entrance.

JAMES GARDINER, Clerk.
The Alexandria Races, which, by their Jockey Club records were to be the 15th inst. are the 22d, and in consequence thereof the Red-House Races are postponed to the 30th, from a desire to give general satisfaction—the course *is* and shall be kept in fine order.
October 17.

The Partnership of James Douglass Jun. and Co being dissolved by the death of James Douglass Jun. All persons indebted to said concern are requested to settle their accounts immediately: and those that have demands, to bring them in to the subscribers now at Alexandria, for settling the business of said concern.

JOHN & JOSEPH SWAN.
surviving partners of James Douglass Jun. & Co.

They have on hand the following articles which will be sold low for Cash or Notes at a short date.
Rum and Molasses
Brown and loaf Sugar
Coffee
Madeira and Lisbon Wines
Port Wine in casks of 3 dozen each
Hyson & Souchong Tea
An Invoice of Dry Goods which will be sold at a low advance.

JOHN & JOSEPH SWAN.
Alexandria 13th October 1794.

FORD & PATTON
RETURN their most grateful thanks to their friends and the public for the liberal encouragement given them since their commencement in business, and beg leave to inform them that, in consequence of Mr. *Charles R. Scott* being now interested in the business, it will in future be conducted under the firm of *Ford, Patton & Co.* both at this place and Port-Tobacco.—From this alteration in our business, our friends will see the necessity of paying their respective balances, and this we beg of them in the most urgent manner; and those who have claims against us will produce the same for settlement.

FORD, PATTON & Co.
At their Store, formerly occupied by Ford and Patton,
HAVE ON HAND
A neat assortment of GOODS, suitable to the approaching season, and are in daily expectation of a very general Fall Supply; all of which they will dispose of on reasonable terms, for Cash or produce.
Alexandria, October 2. 1794.

Wanted to hire or purchase
A likely NEGRO BOY
Apply to
J. W. FLETCHER.
Alexandria, Oct. 21, 1794.

The Columbian Mirror.

ALEXANDRIA, October 28.

[illegible] letter from an Officer in the army destined against the Western Insurgents, to a gentleman in this [illegible]

"Fort Cumberland, October 18.

"The President of the United States arrived here the day before yesterday, with Col. Hamilton, and will probably remain only until to-morrow. It does not appear that he intends taking the command of the army, or crossing the Mountain. I suspect he has made some alteration relative to the movement of the Maryland and Virginia troops. They were to have marched in two columns. The Southern division, consisting of General Darke's brigade, would have been commanded by General Morgan, and the Maryland line (about 1000 effective) with General Mathews's brigade under the immediate command of the Governor. It seems that this arrangement is discontinued, and that the whole of the Virginia and Maryland troops will go on together, which I imagine will take place in five or six days. This new plan I take to have originated with the President, from a disposition of guarding against any shadow of advantage on the part of the Insurgents. I do suppose the whole army will cross the Mountain in two columns, and unite on the other side. So formidable a force will probably prevent opposition, and restore order and subjection without bloodshed. In most of the counties they are busily embodying, but it is with the pretext of defence against the Six Nations of Indians. Should a spirited and popular leader place himself at their head, they are most unquestionably ready to be led on to the field of slaughter.

"The Pennsylvania and Jersey troops are at Bedford. I am told they are deficient with respect to their quotas, except as to cavalry. Maryland is shamefully deficient, while the patriotic state of Virginia has within one or two hundred of her full compliment, and better disciplined militia I think I am authorized to say have scarcely ever been seen in America. The day after their arrival here they had occular proof that a militia man might be flogged, and two or three instances of a similar nature since has operated a scene of order and subordination scarcely to be exceeded in an army of veterans.

I inclose you the general orders of to-day this moment came to hand, from which you will discover that we shall probably move sooner than I have mentioned above.—On the back of the general orders I have put down a list of the general officers with their grades.

"I am," &c.

GENERAL ORDERS.

Head-Quarters, Fort Cumberland, Oct. 18th, 1794.

A corps of light troops consisting of two battalions of infantry, two battalions of Rifle men, a detachment of Artillery, and one squadron of Dragoons to be immediately formed, to consist of four complete companies, and will be commanded by a major, and the whole by a Lieutenant Colonel Commandant.

The army will hold themselves in readiness to move at a moment's warning: Major General Morgan with the corps under his order will join the main body, the time and place of junction will be communicated to the General.

The President of the United States has been pleased to appoint General Hand Adjutant General; he is to be respected accordingly.

His Excellency Governor Lee, Commander in Chief.
——— Mifflin, 2
——— Howell, 3
Major General Tron, 4
Morgan, 5
Brigadier General Smith, 6
——— Chambers, 7
——— Proctor, 8
——— Darke, 9
——— Mathews, 10
——— White, 11
——— Cummings, 12
Major General Miller, Q. M. Gen.
Hand, Adjutant General.
Colonel P. Neville, Pay-Master General.

Copy of a letter from the American seamen on board a prison ship at Halifax to their Captains.

"It is with inexpressible grief that we write you these lines—but with a hope that you will endeavour to get us on shore, for our situation here is deplorable indeed—some sick—the rest half starved. Our present miserable condition can be no longer withstood—we are fairly beat and tired out—so that if there is no relief for us in your power, we shall be obliged to do the best we can for ourselves. This is certain, if we remain here much longer we shall not be able to sail our ships home again, as our health and strength is already nearly exhausted. We should be happy to hear from you; but should any of you come to see us you would hardly believe we were the men you shipped, so unlike do we now look, what we did when we entered on board your vessels. We remain your faithful servants," &c. &c.

From the Philadelphia Gazette of the 21st inst.

INTERESTING INTELLIGENCE.

The last accounts from Europe stated that the Prussians, under the command of their king, had laid siege to Warsaw; that the city, from different circumstances, could not be subjected to a complete blockade; but that the Prussians had begun to bombard it. One of the reasons why it was not closely invested, may have been that Kosciusko, at the head of fifty thousand Poles, was entrenched under the walls. This was the common report, and the substance of it was undoubtedly genuine.

Captain Banner, of the ship Lady Walterstroff, has just now arrived here from Hamburg, which place he left on the *thirtieth* of August. He gives a report, as we hear, which he affirms to be authentic, that there has been a general engagement between the two armies; that the Poles have been victorious; and that Frederick William has been taken prisoner and BURNT ALIVE!

That, before this time, there must have been a bloody battle is more than probable. That the Prussians may have been defeated, and that their king may have been taken prisoner is possible enough; and as he has acted towards Poland with a degree of baseness greater than is usual *even among kings*, it is not likely that in such a a condition, he would be made an example of revenge. In a late engagement with Kosciusko, his majesty had a person killed with a cannon ball close by his side.

FROM THE ARMY UNDER GEN. WAYNE.

CATSKILL, (New-York) Oct. 2.

An obliging correspondent at New-Town has favoured us with the following extract of a letter from Mr. Robert Newman, who passed through that town on his return from captivity to Kentuckey, where he belonged.

"SIR,

"BEING informed that you wished an extract of what occurred to me, since my capture by the Indians from General Wayne's army, in order that you might transmit it to the Catskill Press—Pursuant thereto, I give you the following account:

"I was captured returning from the river St. Mery's to Beaver creek, about 11 miles in advance of Fort Recovery, the first day of August. My then position with respect to the army, was favourable for me, by exercising a little art, and telling a story, to mitigate the barbarity, and avert the cruelty which prisoners generally experience when taken by the savages. But it will be unnecessary to trouble the community with those things, which only concern me and the Indians.

"They asked me a number of questions, to which I replied in a manner I supposed most likely to secure my own ease and safety amongst them. They themselves made but very little enquiry concerning Gen. Wayne's army, or his intentions. I was from thence hurried to the Delaware towns, a little examined, and generally believed to be their friend. From thence to the foot of the Rapids of the Miami of the Lake, where Col. M'Kee lives. He made every enquiry concerning myself, Gen. Wayne, and the state of his army—and as he seemed to want to gain of me a great deal of information, or intelligence, I was very liberal in gratifying him in his desires. But the character of Col. M'Kee being so notorious, I shall pass it over, only mentioning that he doubted my friendship to the Indians, and suspected me as a spy; and that he is one of the most eminent merchants in the scalping trade, and a kind of Quarter Master General to the Indian army, in the service of the British. From thence I was conducted by Ensign Thomas M'Kee (who is a British officer, and was in the battle fought the last day of June at Fort Recovery) to Detroit. The commanding officer at Detroit, particularly enquired whether General Wayne intended to march to the foot of the rapids, and attack the British post at that place? I told him I knew nothing of General Wayne's design (particularly) but if that there should be a British post in his road, no doubt he would treat it as he would an Indian village. He seemed very much surprised that Gen. Wayne should alter his course of march; and thought it indicated some design against that fort, saving his former intended rout, was to the old Miami village.

"The people of Detroit seemed very much exasperated against the people of Kentuckey, and made no secret of their prayers for the destruction of Gen. Wayne's army. Col. Baubee marched about the 14th of August from Detroit with about 200 men under his command, to the British fort at the foot of the Rapids, in order to oppose Gen. Wayne and strengthen that garrison.

"When the Indians and white people returned from the battle at Recovery, to Detroit, with the scalps taken in that battle displayed on a pole according to their custom, they were saluted from the garrison, with the fire of three guns, and huzzas from the citizens.

"From Detroit I was sent to Niagara, to Governor Simcoe, where similar examinations, and enquiries, as at Detroit took place. The governor is sending daily all kinds of military stores to the fort at the foot of the rapids, ammunition, guns, tomahawks and scalping knives; provisions and cloathing in abundance.

"The governor wished to know whether Gen. Wayne (or Mr. Wayne as he called him) had Congressional orders, or from Mr. Washington, who is the head of the mob, in his language, to attack the fort or insult the British flag at the foot of the rapids. I told him I knew nothing of Gen. Wayne's orders, or what Congress had directed him to do. He wished that Gen. Wayne would dare to attack that fort, if he did he would soon put a stop to the war; and the mode he would adopt, would be to cut off Gen. Wayne's army, and make a conquest of Kentuckey: destroy the mob; give honest people good government, and thereby produce peace, harmony and good neighbourhood.

R. NEWMAN.

"N. B. Capt. Brant was, when I left Niagara, at the mouth of Buffaloe creek, holding a council whether the savages of that quarter should go and assist the hostile Indians in driving Gen. Wayne from their country, and I rather think they will go, because the British are pressing and urging them to war.

"All the soldiers (but a very few left) are sent from the garrisons, at Niagara and lake Erie, to this new fort at the foot of the rapids; and their places supplied by the militia.

"This same Mr. M'Kee who accompanied me to Detroit, was the man who carried wampum and an invitation to the Hurons to go to war; and I was present when he delivered it, on his way to Detroit.

"R. N."

GENERAL ARNOLD.

The following circumstances respecting this well known man, (says, a London paper) have been communicated to us through a channel that leaves not a doubt of their authenticity.—Some time ago he embarked from Halifax in an American Schooner, for Guadaloupe, whether he carried about 4000l. in cash, for the purpose of purchasing prize goods, to be afterwards sold in America.

By the time that the schooner made the Island of Guadaloupe, the French were in possession of Fleur d'Eppe, and the windward of it, and they kept a frigate cruizing to windward, before Sir John Jervis returned thither, as a decoy to English vessels making the island. The schooner was boarded by an officer from this frigate. Arnold, by the greatest address, passed himself as an American, under the name of John Anderson. The Capt. of the French frigate offered him, as such, the accommodation of his ship; which, however the General, under pretence of indisposition declined. They went into the bay where the French squadron lay. Soon after the English fleet came off, under the command of Sir John Jervis, and the French squadron was blocked in.

Arnold felt himself in no very agreeable situation, as a disclosure of his name and character must have proved fatal to him, and for the concealment of these he depended upon the discretion of every one of the crew of the schooner.

Learning that the English had possessed themselves of the entrance of the bay, he formed, unperceived, on board the schooner, a raft of boards: upon which during the night he committed himself to the waves, and having observed the set of the current, he let himself drift quietly down the bay, through all the French guard boats, till he came opposite the British posts, when he contrived to paddle towards the shore, and was fortunate enough to land in safety.

The French afterwards learnt the circumstance, and freely declared, that if his real character had been discovered, he would certainly have become a victim of the guillotine.

MARVELLOUS.

A few days ago, a gentleman was amusing himself in shooting squirrels, about 5 miles from Salem, in Jersey state—after having discharged his gun at one of those animals, he was suddenly attacked by a furious black bear, which rushed from a thicket about ten yards from him, growling most hideously.

The Gentleman immediately sought his safety by the nimbleness of his heels, having in his fright dropt his piece—the bear following him in a kind of a running dance, sometimes on his hindfeet. The sportsman almost petrified with fear, his course being stopped by a swamp, was obliged to retrograde—which gave him an opportunity of observing that the bear carried the gun he had in the first moment of fear left behind him—and, menacing him in an attitude which created suspicion, it recalled the remnant of his reasoning faculties, and seizing a huge branch of a tree, he returned upon his antagonist. At the first blow he brought the monster to the ground, which, after heaving a heavy groan, seemed to struggle as in the agonies of death.

Having soon after met with some countrymen, and relating the story, they returned to the spot. On examining him, they found concealed in the most artful manner under a bruin's shin, a human being, weltering in his blood from the contusion he received on his head.—They raised him up, and with the assistance of a cordial, they brought him to himself.

It appears he is an unhappy maniac, who makes his periodical visits in this city and neighborhood, and that this was his first exploit in his new character.

We vouch for the authenticity of the above, says the writer, with that of some other stories, on the same authority, report.

See the account of a great scaly monster in the back country, whose breath destroys the human race—The bear that climbed up a tree after a man and eat his feet off—Or the wonderful story of a lad who was attacked by six barn owls!!! &c. &c. &c. *Gaz. U. S.*

NATIONAL CONVENTION.

AUGUST 8.

Report of Barrere, relative to the victories over the Spaniards

Barrere.—"You have formerly beheld at your bar the standards of the slaves of London, Amsterdam, Vienna, and Berlin. To-day, the courage of the army of the West presents you with the colours of the tyrant of Madrid.

"The particulars of this signal success are too singular to be omitted here.

"On the evening of the same day, (14th Thermidor) Gabbau representative of the people, marched against Fontarabia, with 300 men, all brave soldiers. Lamarque assistant to the Etat-Major and Captain of Grenadiers—in short the citizen whom you see at your bar, with the Spanish colours in his hand, led on this Republican band. He assumed a position above Fontarabia, after having experienced a shower of grape shot which killed three soldiers at the side of Gabbau. On being master of the height, he instantly summoned the city to surrender;

and Lamarque, who entered with a flag, threatenedan immediate aſſault in caſe of refuſal.

"The council of war immediately aſſembled, it was compoſed of two Capuchins, one Prieſt, the commandant, the Town Major, the principal engineer, and ſome other officers.

"The Capuchins inſiſted at firſt on defending the city; they invoked God and all his holy Saints, and aſked the inhabitants, if they would abandon ſo much property to the enemies of religion? They inſiſted on 24 hours time, in order to deliberate.

"Lamarque, on this produced a ſummons and obſerved, that by the laws of war, the French had a right to put all the Capuchins to death, on account of their intermeddling in civil affairs, if the ſurrender did not take place within the period fixed by the repreſentatives of the people.

"There were 800 Spaniards in the town.—Fear preſided in their council. The Capuchins did not wiſh to riſk the laws of war, and Fontarabia ſurrendered at half an hour after ſix o'clock the ſame evening."

By laſt Night's Mails.

From PHILADELPHIA, Oct. 24.

HEADQUARTERS.

BEDFORD, OCT. 18.

We ſtill are uncertain as to what time we ſhall tarry here. Parties of horſe are detached to ſcour the country:—Laſt night they brought in 10 of the inſurgents, and this day 2 or 3.—Among theſe are ſeveral notorious rebels; one being accuſed of forging letters, with the ſignature of the governor expreſſing a wiſh that "the people ſhould perſiſt in their oppoſition, and they would be protected"—another is accuſed of cutting, and a third of hewing the pole ſet up in this place. They have been examined, and committed to goal to ſtand trial at the Federal court to be held here.

The firſt ten were taken about 12 miles diſtant (over the Mountain) without any reſiſtance out of one houſe.

I am told that information is received that about 100 more are collected about 20 miles off; 'tis expected a party will be detached after them this evening.

We have juſt returned from eſcorting the Governor to town—He was received with every military attention, and a diſcharge of fifteen cannon.

Colonel Copperthwait's battalion have arrived, and the Jerſey and ſeveral troops of horſe of this ſtate, amounting to about 1000, are juſt entering.

Sunday morning, October 19.

The light horſe brought in about 10 more laſt night.

It appears that ſeveral of the perſons taken up have been bailed in trifling ſums and permitted to depart—This has cauſed ſome diſſatisfaction.

IMPORTANT.

From New-York, October 21.

By the brig Boſton, Captain Champlin, 41 days from Hamburg, we learn that the French are ſtill going on with their victories. Valenciennes and Conde are taken Sluys taken—The corn in the vicinage of Fluſhing was cut down and carried off by the French—The Engliſh gun-boats, commanded by Smith (who commanded at Toulon) had been cut off by the French, taken, and ſunk.

Pichegru had returned from Paris, to the army, with orders to proſecute the war with vigour.

It was reported that Captain Bompard was beheaded, for breaking the line of the French fleet, in the late engagement with the Engliſh, under Lord Howe.

Seven Engliſh frigates wre cruiſing in the north ſeas, ſuppoſed to be a convoy for the Duke of York and Britiſh troops under his command, who, 'twas ſaid, were haſtening to England.

The French were bombarding Rotterdam, which was expected would ſoon fall.

Captain Champlin ſpoke with the Ranger, of 16 guns, bound in here, prize to the French Republic.

[*Diary.*]

Captain Champlain in 41 days from Hamburg informs that intelligence was received there of the ſurrender of Valenciennes and the capture of Breda by the French. All communication between Rotterdam and Hamburg was interrupted, as a proof of which, he mentions that two or three Hamburg mails had returned. Merchants in Holland have adviſed their correſpondents in this city, that all bills drawn on cargoes *unſold* will be noted for non-payment. [*Minerva.*]

Died, on Sunday evening, (26th inſt.) JOHN BAPTIST PETIT, a French citizen, and merchant of this town.

JAMES KENNEDY

RESPECTFULLY acquaints his Friends and the Public, that he has opened his New Store in the Weſt Goods line at the upper end of King Street, where he intends keeping an aſſortment of goods in that way, of the firſt quality, and at the moſt moderate prices. Houſe Keepers and thoſe who buy quantities for ſale will have good allowance made them. He has for ſale a few cheſts of Souchong Tea, Sugar in barrels, Coffee in bags. A few pieces of fine Iriſh Linen, ſome choice books, and a fine ton'd, 6 key'd German Flute, with additional joints and directions for playing, to be ſold cheap as above.

Alexandria, Oct. 18, 1794.

PUBLIC SALE.

On Saturday next, at half paſt 4 o'clock in the afternoon will be ſold, on the premiſes,

A Lot of Ground, on King-ſtreet,

between Water and Union ſtreets, adjoining the ſtore lately occupied by James Dougal, 40 feet front, and 66 feet deep; at a credit of 30 and 60 days, for negotiable Notes.

P. G. MARSTELLER, V. M.

Alexandria, Oct. 28. 1794.

FOR SALE

300 Buſhels beſt

Rhode-Iſland POTATOES.

Apply to

Thomas Rogerſon.

Alexandria, Oct. 27, 1794.

RICKETTS & NEWTON

HAVE RECEIVED

By the brig Mary, from London, and the Carmela, from Liverpool, as follows, and for ſale on moderate terms,

Superfine Cloths; ſecond ditto;

flannels and green baize; duffil blankets; roſe do. ſtriped elaſtic cloths; plain and twilled coatings; bed tickings; yarn hoſe; worſted do. knapped cottons; half-thicks; army cloth; plains; and a quantity of queen's ware and table ſervices, well aſſorted for retailing.

They have alſo received from Philadelphia, and have on hand, and for ſale,

Country-made hats; Iriſh linens;

blank books; ſpelling do. an aſſortment of glaſs, China and queen's ware; a handſome collection of paper-hangings; wrapping-paper, &c. wool and cotton cards; loaf and lump ſugar; Malaga wine of a ſuperior quality; hyſon, hyſon-ſkin, bohea, ſouchong Imperial and young hyſon teas; fig-blue; ſtarch; ground ginger; raiſins; Leiper's ſnuff; alſpice; pepper; nutmegs; ſoal-leather; meſs-beef in half-barrels; 19 hhds. of tobacco on the Rappahannock, and 100 barrels of herrings—alſo a few pieces of mahogany furniture.

Alexandria, Oct. 28. 1794.

City of Waſhington, Oct. 16, 1794.

The Commiſſioners will receive

Propoſals till the 20th of November next, for Freeſtone, delivered at the City; and are deſirous of entering into a contract or contracts for a very large quantity.—Advances of money will be made for the accommodation of ſuch perſons as may contract.

By Order.

T. JOHNSON, jun. Sec'ry.

JOHN HUBBALL,

UPHOLSTERER & CABINET-MAKER,

Oppoſite the Methodiſt Meeting-Houſe, Fairfax-Street,

HAS FOR SALE

An elegant large Chamber Organ,

with three barrels of thirty new favourite tunes, made by Longeman & Brodrick London. The organ may be ſeen at the ſubſcriber's, and the terms of ſale known.

The ſubſcriber returns his thanks to his friends and the public in general, for the encouragement he has met with ſince his ſhort reſidence in this place, and at the ſame time begs leave to inform them that he means to carry on the above branches, and that the ſtricteſt attention will be paid to all orders.

Alexandria, Oct. 28, 1794.

N. B. An Apprentice wanted to the above buſineſs.

THOMAS SIMPSON,

TAILOR & HABIT-MAKER,

Lately from London, oppoſite M'Knight's Tavern, King-Street,

Carries on the above buſineſs in

the moſt extenſive manner—He makes Ladies' and Gentlemen's Mecklinburg and French Rockaloe Coats in the genteeleſt faſhion and on the ſhorteſt notice.

N. B. Gentlemen may be ſupplied with the beſt ſuperfine Cloths and Waiſtcoat Shapes, and many other articles in the above line.

Alexandria, October 28, 1794.

STRAY COW.

Strayed from the Common of

of Alexandria, near three weeks ſince, a pied COW, with a brindle face—marks a crop in her right ear, and under-keel in her left. Whoever returns ſaid Cow to her owner in Alexandria, ſhall receive One Dollar Reward. Enquire of the Printer.

Oct. 27, 1794.

Jonathan Mandeville

HAS juſt received, and now opening, at his ſtore next door to William M'Knight's tavern, a large and general aſſortment of

Wet and Dry Goods,

which he will diſpoſe of on reaſonable terms, for caſh or country produce.

He will let the ſtore and dwelling-houſe lately occupied by himſelf at the upper end of King-ſtreet—poſſeſſion may be had immediately.

Alexandria, Oct. 14, 1794.

For CHARTER,

(Provided immediate application is made)

The AMERICAN BRIG

MARY,

DANIEL BENNETT, Maſter,

Burthen about 1300 barrels, lying at Col. Ramſay's wharf. For terms apply to the Capt. on board.

Alexandria, October 28, 1794.

Mould & dipped CANDLES

FOR SALE BY

Ricketts & Newton.

Alexandria, October 27, 1794.

FOR SALE,

On Wedneſday the 12th of November next,

A *HOUSE and LOT, on Union-Street. The houſe is framed, and three ſtories high. An indiſputable title will be given. The terms and further particulars will be made koown at the time and place of ſale.*

CICELEY WARD.

Alexandria Oct. 22, 1794.

TO BE SOLD,

On Wedneſday the 12th November next,

All the ſubſcriber's Houſehold

and Kitchen Furniture, together with a Negro Boy, a BILLIARD TABLE, and a Seine and Boat.

All perſons indebted to the eſtate of William Ward, deceaſed, are earneſtly deſired to make immediate payment, and thoſe who have claims againſt the ſaid eſtate are requeſted to preſent them on or before the 22d of January next, as no attention will be paid them after that period. CICELY WARD, Exe'x.

Alexandria, Oct. 16, 1794.

FISHER and COLE,

BOOKSELLERS, BOOKBINDERS, And STATIONERS,

Three doors weſt of Yate's and Campbell's Vendue-Store,

Market-ſtreet, BALTIMORE,

RESPECTFULLY inform their friends and the public in general, that they have eſtabliſhed a BOOK and STATIONARY Store in Baltimore, and humbly ſolicit the patronage of a generous public, whoſe favors they will endeavour to merit. They are now aſſorted with books on every ſubject in Polite Literature: among the many valuable new publications they have now on hand are the following:—

	Dols.	Cts.
Paine's works complete in 1 vol.	2	0
American Biography, 1ſt vol. to be continued,	1	50
Moore's Travels, 2 vols. 8 do.	3	50
Do. Journal in France. 2 vols. 12 mo.	1	75
Morſe's Geography, elegant, 2 vols. 8 do.	4	50
Do. ſheep bound,	3	50
Do. abridged for uſe of Schools,	1	

Pindar's works, 2 vols.—Complete Letter Writer—Love and Gibſon's Surveying—Williams's Letters on the French Revolution—Alſo, Folio, Quarto, Royal, Octavo and Duodecimo Bibles, School Books of all kinds—A new edition of the Common Prayer for the Proteſtant Epiſcopal Church—price from 6/6 to 35s.

And a great variety of Hiſtory, Divinity, Philoſophy, Medicine, Chemiſtry, Novels, &c. &c. &c. too numerous to be contained in a newſpaper.

Orders from gentlemen in the country ſhall be carefully attended to.

They expect in a few days, a new and elegant edition of Stuben's Military Diſcipline, &c. with Copper-Plates.

Now in the Preſs, and ſpeedily will be publiſhed, by Fiſher and Cole, a pamphlet entitled, PROSPECT ON WAR AND PAPER CURRENCY, the firſt American Edition, by Thomas Paine, the author of the Rights of Man, Common Senſe, &c.

Baltimore, July 19th, 1794. 4w ſp 1 o m w

CORDAGE

Of large ſize and of the beſt quality, alſo

WHITE ROPE

Of every deſcription, to be had, on the moſt reaſonable terms, either at the Rope-Walk, or the Store of Mr. THOMAS IRVIN, on *Harper's* Wharf.

☞ To perſons wanting a large quantity a conſiderable diſcount will be made.

*** Ropes for the uſe of Farmers, ſuch as Bed-Cordrs, Trace Ropes and Leading-Lines, may be had on very moderate terms, by the quantity, at either of the above places. JAMES IRVIN.

THE ſubſcriber intends to open School in the houſe at preſent occupied by Joſiah Emmet, as a Turner's ſhop, on Monday the 20th inſtant, for the purpoſe of receiving twenty five ſcholars. The above ſchool is quite luminous and pleaſant, is ſituated on a pretty healthy eminence, near Mr. W'm Buſhby's dwelling houſe, the corner of Fairfax and Queen Streets; and is remarkably well adapted for the education of youth: Their genius and diſpoſitions will be particularly conſulted, and their health, morals, and religious principles ſtrictly attended to. At this ſchool his pupils will be carefully educated in reading grammatically, writing and arithmetic, on *moderate terms.*

HUGH WEST.

Alexandria, October 14, 1794.

WILL BE SOLD,
On the 28th inst. agreeable to a decree of the County Court of Fairfax,

THE HOUSES and LOTS, in the Town of Alexandria, the property of *William Ramsay*, mortgaged to *Benjamin A. Hamp*, viz. one situate on the west side of Water Street, east side of Fairfax Street, and to the northward of King Street, and the other Lot situated upon the north side of King Street, and to the eastward of Water Street, or so much thereof as will be sufficient to satisfy the said decree and cost.

CHARLES TURNER, D. S.

October 12.

Buchland and Muir,

CABINET and CHAIR MANUFACTURERS,

RESPECTFULLY inform the public and their friends in particular, that they have commenced business in Fairfax-street, two doors above Messrs. Robert Young and Co. where they design to carry it on in all its various branches, in as neat and fashionable a manner as it can be done in Philadelphia or Baltimore, and on the most reasonable terms. They hope the great pains they have been at in procuring an elegant assortment of wood, and their steady application to business, will merit the encouragement of a generous public.

Alexandria, Oct. 23, 1794.

John Neill and John Watts

HAVING commenced business under the firm of *NEILL and WATTS*, at the store formerly occupied by Mr. *J. B. Dabney*, in Fairfax-street, have just received, and are now opening, a neat and general

Assortment of Dry Goods

which they are determined to sell at the most reduced prices for cash or country produce, amongst which are the following articles—

Superfine and coarse cloths; cassimers of every kind and colour; coatings; plains and kerseys; chintzes and calicoes; plain, book and jaconet muslins: tamboured do. plain, book and tamboured muslin handkerchiefs; men's neckcloths do. muslinets and dimities; Marseilles; moreens; twilled brown tamminies; velverets and corduroys; thicksetts, plain and twilled; a neat assortment of men and women's cotton and worsted hose; men's and womens' leather shoes; Florentine do. sandals and Morocco slippers; children's Morocco shoes of different colours and sizes; an assortment of diaper and damask table-cloths, with a number of other articles too numerous to insert.

From their attention to business and their long experience that line, they hope to be able to give general satisfaction to those ladies and gentlemen who please to favour them with their custom.

Alexandria, Oct. 14, 1794. 3w.

TO BE RENTED,
For a term of years,

An excellent MERCHANT MILL,

situated on the banks of the Shenandoah river, between Berry and Snicker's Ferry. In this Mill are a pair of excellent French burr stones, and a pair of country do. the gears, wheels and bolting-cloths are all in good repair, and almost new, and the mill is built on a never-failing stream, having about 40 feet fall.

At the same time will be rented an excellent Store for dry goods, a Kitchen, and a Lot of Ground for pasture.

For Sale a likely Negro Man, about 20 years of age.—Apply to the subscriber for terms, who lives near said Mill.

JOHN HOLKER.

Frederick County, Oct. 21, 1794.

CARNE & SLADE

RESPECTFULLY inform the public that they have just commenced business in the house lately occupied by Mr. JOHN PETTIT, at the corner of Fairfax and King Streets, where they sell, at wholesale only,

A variety of coarse Woollens, Flannels, Baizes & Serges, suitable to the present and coming seasons;
An assortment of Worsted Rugs;
Nails by the bag;
Rasps and Files.

They also sell at wholesale and retail, their assortment of Ironmongery, Hardware, and Cutlery, consisting, among a number of other articles, of the following, viz. Copper tea and fish kettles, copper and brass warming-pans, do. kettles and pans, stew-pans of various sorts, looking glasses, waiters and roasting jacks, locks, hinges, cast sash pullies and other building materials, carpenters' tools knives & forks, razors, scissors, buckles, needles, &c. &c.

They daily expect a general assortment of Ironmongery, Hardware, Cutlery and Earthen Ware, by the first arrivals from Bristol and Liverpool.

Alexandria, Oct. 20, 1794.

Strayed or Stolen

FROM the commons of Alexandria, on or about the 10th of Sept. last, a likely bay mare and a mare colt; the mare is about 13 hands high, has a long black tail and mane, about ten years old, and no brand or mark that can be recollected. The colt is of a dark colour, with a white spot in his forehead. I will give five dollars to any person who will return me the mare and colt, and twenty dollars to any person or persons on conviction of the thief or thieves.

JESSE TAYLOR.

Alexandria, October 25, 1794.

TO BE SOLD,
And possession given the 1st November next,

A Dwelling House, Store, Grainery and every other suitable out-house, with five half-acre lots, well fenced in, situate in the town of *Kinsale*, one of the best situations for a retail store of any in the state of Virginia, and where vessels drawing 12 feet water may load from the granery without a flat, and lay in perfect safety. A reasonable credit will be given if required, or Produce, Dry Goods, or property in or near Alexandria, will be taken in payment. Apply to B. G. Orr, Esq. near the premises or to

JOHN GILL.

Alexandria, Oct. 16, 1794.

Twenty Dollars Reward

RAN AWAY *from the subscriber two negro fellows viz. negro DICK about 5 feet 8 or 10 inches high, a very black, thin faced, pock-marked fellow; his great toe on his right foot has been cut nearly off, and lays flat to the ground, a long nose rather broad at the end.*

Negro SAM, a stout well set fellow 5 feet 6 or 7 inches, not quite as black as DICK, has a natural mark (on the right side of his forehead near the hair) the skin is much blacker than any other part of his face. Their wearing apparel, a blue short jacket, a green knapt cotton jacket and overalls, a striped stocking patent vest, nankeen breeches, course shoes and buckles, with sundry other clothes not remembered. It is expected they will make for Baltimore or some seaport town, as Sam has been used to sail in bay crafts. Whoever secures said negroes in any gaol so that I get them again shall receive the above reward or ten dollars for either; and reasonable charges if brought home to

AQUILA JOHNS.

Montgomery County, Maryland, Mouth Seneca. 15 October 1794.

NAIL MANUFACTORY.

MARTIN HAGNER

RESPECTFULLY informs his Friends and the Public in general, that he has established a Manufactory in this Town, on King-Street, opposite the house of Messrs. Ricketts & Newton, where he makes all Sorts of Nails, in the best manner, preferable to, and as cheap as any imported. He flatters himself to give ample satisfaction to those who favour him with their custom. All orders will be executed with punctuality and despatch.

☞ One or two Apprentices wanted at the above business.

Alexandria, May 9, 1794.

Lands for Sale in Fairfax County.

THE whole, or a part of that tract of Land on which the subscriber now lives, containing all but 500 acres; about one half of this Land is cleared and fit for cultivation, the other half abounds with lofty timber of various kinds, oak, hickory and poplar; has a great proportion of excellent meadow land, and about ten or twelve acres of timothy meadow fit for the sythe. The improvements on this land are such as might accommodate a genteel family, with barns, stables, and other houses fit for the accommodation of servants, and an over-seer, a blacksmith's shop with an excellent set of tools, a stone spring house, and a young apple orchard just beginning to bear. Possession either partial or intire may be had immediately, and the purchaser if necessary may be furnished with one hundred and fifty or two hundred bushels of Indian corn, hay, straw, and fodder, the stock on the Farm of all kinds, farming utensils of all kinds, a waggon and gears almost new, together with a crop of wheat and rye, now in the ground; there are about 65 acres of the first, and of the latter about 25. Also, a tract of land in the same neighbourhood, now under the tenure of Nicholas Garrot—the situation of this land, the fertility of soil, and beautiful prospect, together with its contiguity to Alexandria, George-Town and the Federal City, not being more than fifteen miles from either, must render it a desirable object to either the gentleman or farmer.

Part of the purchase money will be required in hand, and for the balance a credit of one and two years will be given. Further particulars may be known by application to the subscriber.

JMREMIAH MOORE.

Oct. 23, 1794. 6w.

Fifty Dollars Reward.

RAN AWAY very unexpectedly from the subscriber, on Saturday the 11th of October, a *Mulatto Man* named *George*, by his acquaintance called *George Evans*; about 25 years of age, 5 feet, 9 or 10 inches high, straight and well made, he has long bushy black hair which he commonly wears queu'd, his cheek bones rather high, his laugh simple, He has always served as a waiter, was a favorite servant, and spoiled by excessive indulgence, understands dressing and shaving, and plays well on the Violin; he took with him a brown fustain Coatee and jacket, bound with yellow silk ferret; a pair of light coloured sagathy breeches, and half boots; as he had many other clothes of cloth and light summer wear, it is probable he may change his dress, as it is supposed he has crossed over to Virginia. Whoever secures the above man shall receive the above reward, and reasonable charges if brought home. All masters of vessels will receive him on board at their peril.

MARSHAM WARING.

George-Town, [in Columbia.] Oct. 16. 1794.

A large front room to be let. Inquire of the Printer.

M'MUNN & SITTLER,

COPPERSMITHS & TINMEN,

Respectfully inform the Public

that they have established a Manufactory in this Town next door to Col. *Hoot*'s, where they make an repair, in the best manner, the following Articles:

Stills of all sizes,	Tin Plates and Dishes,
Brew-Kettles,	Bake-Pans,
Fish do.	Tin Ovens,
Tea do.	Sheet-Iron Stoves,
Wash do.	Cabin do.
Hatters' do.	Stove-Pipes,
Fullers' do.	Scales and Weights,
Coffeepots,	Gutters & Spouts,
Chocolate do.	All kinds of Ship-work done either in lead or copper.
Drippingpans,	
Saucepans,	
Stew do.	

☞ All orders executed with punctuality and despatch and the highest price given for OLD COPPER, BRASS and LEAD.

*** They will keep a constant supply of LAMP TANNERS' & LINSEED OIL, & SPIRITS of TURPENTINE.

Alexandria, Jan. 26, 1794. (1 y.)

Copper and Tin Manufactory.

JOHN BEALE

INFORMS his friends and the public, that he has removed from the town of Lynchburg, to this place in a house in King-street, two doors above M'Knight's tavern, where he intends to carry on his business in all its various branches, such as making and mending all kinds of gold, silver, copper and tin work. He likewise tins old copper tea kettles, sauce-pans, &c. &c.

Articles in the above branches of his business, may be had either by wholesale or retail, and those who buy to sell again, will find it to their advantage to deal with him.

All kinds of plated work done on the shortest notice, in the best manner, and warranted, such as bridle bits stirrup irons, buckles, tips and saddle bosses, made in the newest fashions; mill brands cut, either in copper or iron, China mended, and all kinds of bell metal, such as clock bells, ear bells for horses, and skillets, the bells he warrants to ring as well as ever they did.

MILL INKS

Made at the above shop, and at a moderate price. The above articles will be done in a masterly manner.

☞ Also Clocks, Watches and Mathematical Instruments made and repaired in an elegant manner.

☞ He has on hand and now offers for sale, at a moderate price, at the above house, sundry articles of gold, silver, jewellery, copper, tin, and plate work, gilt watch chains, seals, keys, lockets, and breast pins.

The highest price given for old gold, silver, copper, brass, pewter or lead.

Alexandria, November 2, 1793. (1 y.)

NEW LINE OF STAGES.

THE subscribers have established a Line of Stages between Philadelphia and Baltimore-Town, which will commence their route on Monday the 28th instant, and will regularly perform six complete trips in a week. As this establishment has been completed at a great expense, and from the arrangements made will be of great public utility, and convenience to individuals, they flatter themselves they merit, and will receive, the approbation of the public.

On Monday, the fourth of August, a Line of Stages will commence a route from this place to George-Town and Alexandria, and perform six complete trips every week. The same exertions will be used to render this line of equal utility with the former.

Part of the Stages will start from *William Evans's* tavern and part from *John Starck's*. The rates to Philadelphia remain the same as heretofore. To the southward they have been reduced to Three Dollars and half, including the usual allowance for baggage.

WILLIAM EVANS & CO.

Baltimore, July 24, 1794

Twenty Dollars Reward.

RAN AWAY from the subscriber, near Upper Marlbro' Town, Prince George County, Maryland, on or about the first day of October, (inst.) a dark Mulatto slave named *Aaron Cartor*, which he often changes to that of *Aaron Caskel*. He is about 5 feet 6 inches high; 25 or 26 years of age; complaisant when spoken to, and rather bashful in his address, remarkably fond of his hair, which he generally keeps in good dress: he has some knowledge of the carpenter's and blacksmith's trades, but best acquainted with plantation business. He was raised on Addison Murdock's, Esq. estate, near Upper-Marlbro' (at whose estate I purchased him last January) since which time he has been hired to Biger Bond, and Jacob Lipskul, in the Federal City, from whence he made his escape, and it is supposed cross'd the Potomack. His dress cannot be described, he having changes of clothes. The above reward will be paid to any person apprehending said slave and securing him so that I may get him again, and reasonable charges if brought home.

JOSEPH MOCKBEE,
living near Upper-Marlbro'.

Oct. 10, 1794.

N. B. All masters of vessels and others are forwarned from harbouring said described fellow of their peril.

Blank Manifests, Bills of lading &c. to be had at this Office.